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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Foster et al.

**Application No.: 09/766,727**

**Filing Date:** **January 22, 2001**

**Title: Method and System For Completing a Lease For Real Property In An On-Line Computing Environment**

Atty Docket: 21300.105003

Art Unit: 3624

**Examiner: Lalita M. Hamilton**

Confirmation No.: 1307

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

**Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 29, 2005, the Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks for the Examiner's consideration. Applicants have filed concurrently herewith a petition for a one-month extension of time to expire December 29, 2005.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to: Commissioner of Patents, Mail Stop Amendment, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, Facsimile No. (571) 273.8300 on December 29, 2005.

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